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GETTYSBURG, PA., TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 26, 1864.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale, on a bargain basis, a small FARM, one mile from the York turnpike, on the Hanover and Mt. Sherrystown road, containing

71 ACRES OF LAND.

There is a two-story log weather-boarded House, a large Barn, and a large Out-building. There is a well of water at the door, also one in the barn-yard, an orchard, and other improvements.

The terms of sale will be made known by the subscriber, residing on the premises.

JOSEPH SCHULTZ.

June 21.—64.

Notice.

LETTERS of Administration on the estate of JAMES CASHMAN, late of Menallen township, Adams county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in the same township, they hereby give notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

HENRY CASHMAN,
ANDREW BROOK,
Administrators.

June 21.—64.

A Joint Resolution Proposing Certain Amendments to the Constitution.

BE it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendment be proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof:

There shall be an additional section to the third article of the Constitution, to be designated as section four, as follows:

Section 4. Whenever any of the qualified electors of this Commonwealth shall be in any actual military service, under a requisition from the President of the United States, or by the authority of this Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens, under such regulations as are, or shall be, prescribed by law, as fully as they were present at their usual place of election.

Section 2. There shall be two additional sections to the eleventh article of the Constitution, so designated as section eight, and nine, as follows:

Section 8. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature containing more than one subject, which shall be clearly expressed in the title, with appropriate bills.

Section 9. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature granting any powers, or privileges, to any case, when the law authorizes to grant such powers, or privileges, as been, or may hereafter be, conferred upon the courts of the Commonwealth.

HENRY C. JOHNSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

JOHN P. PEABODY,
Speaker of the Senate.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH,

HANOVER, April 25, 1864.

PENNSYLVANIA, SS:

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original Joint Resolution of the General Assembly, entitled "A Joint Resolution proposing certain Amendments to the Constitution," as the same remains on file in this office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Commonwealth to be affixed, the day and year above written.

ELI SLIFER,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

May 3.—td.

Hardware and Groceries.

THE subscribers have just returned from the cities with an immense supply of

HARDWARE & GROCERIES, which they

are offering at their old stand in Baltimore street, at prices to suit the times. Our stock

consists in part of

BUILDING MATERIALS,

CARPENTER'S TOOLS,

BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS,

COACH FINDINGS,

SHOE FINDINGS,

CABINET MAKER'S TOOLS,

HOUSEKEEPER'S FIXTURES,

ALL KINDS OF IRON, &c.,

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS,

Oils, Paints, &c., &c. There is no article in

cluded in the several departments mentioned

above but what can be had at this store.

Every class of Mechanics can be accommodated here with tools and findings, and

Housekeepers can find every article in their

line. Give us a call we are prepared to

sell as low for cash as any house out of the

City.

JOEL B. DANNER,

DAVID ZIEGLER,

Gettysburg, May 17.

For Sale.

A VERY DESIRABLE FARM, adjoining the Borough of Gettysburg, containing 123 ACRES, buildings and land good; will be sold on very accommodating terms.

GEORGE ARNOLD.

Albums! Albums! Albums!

JUST received a large and beautiful as-

sortment of Photograph Albums, which

we offer below City prices.

Dec. 15.

TYSON & BRO.

LYCERINE and Camphor Soap for re-

moving and curing the bites of Mos-

quitoes and other insects.

Dr. R. HORNER'S Drug Store.

DURE BRANDY, WINE AND WHISKEY, for

medical purposes only, at the New Drug

Store of Dr. Bonner House.

We have just received a new assortment of

Quinine, to which we invite the atten-

tion of our buyers.

A. SCOTT & SON.

NewspaperARCHIVE.com

Choice Poetry.

For the "Adams Sentinel."

LINES,

ON THE DEATH OF LIEUT. H. G. LOTT.

One loved one more has left us,

In God's courts he has gone to dwell,

The hand of fate has bereft us,

And we are left to weep and wail.

He bid adieu to loved ones,

It seems scarce two months ago,

To the front ranks he was ordered,

To face an unequal foe.

He nobly fought for freedom

Amidst the cruel strife,

For the flag he most worshiped

He sacrificed his life.

We may wail as the broken hearted,

But his valor it won't baulk,

For Death has claimed the soldier,

He can't it be waked.

In the cemetery he sleeps,

Beneath the sacred sod,

Where Rachel holds her埋葬.

And were defeated by the hand of God.

But, oh! I shrank and quailed

To know that he is gone,

For him we grieve and languish,

For him we weep and mourn.

His comrade may be watching,

From dark till early dawn,

For their brother soldier

Who will never more return,

No more will earthly troubles

Disturb his peaceful rest,

For now he is sleeping.

Upon the Saviour's breast.

But to God's word we must ever hearken,

However hard it be.

He has taken this boy from us,

We know it was his desire,

Oh! comfort the stricken parents

For they have lost a noble son,

In Heaven they will meet him,

When their earthly course is run.

Base of the Dove Mountain, Franklin Co., Pa.

An Unkind Tear.

When I used to tend sheep at the "Regulator," in Syracuse, the old man comes round one day, and says he—

"Boys, the one that sells the most 'twist and Christmas gets a vest pattern as a present."

Maybe we didn't work for that vest pattern! I tell you there were some tall stories told in praise of goods just about that time; but the tallest talker and the one that had more check than any of us was a certain Jonah Squares, who roamed with me. He could talk a collar out of a man's pocket when the man had intended to spend only a sixpence; and the poorer—Lord bless you—they just handed over their pocket-book to him and let him lay out what he liked for them.

One night Jonah woke up with, "By Jash, old fellow, if you think that ain't got any action in it, I'll bring down the sheep it was cut from and make it swear to his own wool!" "Twotwotwotwotwo—two or either—wore a pair of pants that kind of stuff myself for five years, and they're as good now as when I first put 'em on." "Jash, it is thirty cents, and I'll give you a sixpence if you'll take it?"

I could feel Jonah's hands playing about the bed clothes for an instant, then rip 'em! went something or another, and I hid my head under the blankets, perfectly convulsed with laughter, and saw that Jonah had torn the sheet from top to bottom. When I woke up next morning I found—ah! my unkindest tear of all—that the back of my night-shirt was split from tail to collar-band!

Children's Arms and Legs.

A distinguished physician, who died some years since in Paris, declared: "I believe that during the twenty years that I have practised my profession in this city, twenty thousand children have been carried to the cemeteries a sacrifice to the absurd custom of exposing their arms naked."

On this the editor of the Philadelphia Medical and Surgical Reporter remarks:

"Put the bulb of a thermometer in a baby's mouth, the mercury rises to ninety degrees. Now carry the same to its little hand; if the arm be bare and the evening cool, the mercury will sink to fifty degrees. Of course all the blood that flows through there goes fast from ten to forty degrees below the temperature of the heart. Need I say when these currents of blood flow back into the chest the child's vitality must be more or less compromised?" And need I add that we ought not to be surprised at its frequent recurring affection of the tongue, throat or stomach? I have seen more than one child with habitual cough and hoarseness, chocking with mucus, entirely and permanently relieved by simply keeping the hands and arms warm. Every observing and progressive physician has daily opportunities of witnessing the same cure."

Preservation of Eggs.

During the heat of summer eggs may be preserved for a long time, provided they are removed from contact with the air.

Country folks place them in layers in a haystack, on a bed of ashes, taking care that they do not touch one another. They cover them with ashes, place more eggs, then ashes, and continue this till the barrel is full.

Eggs are better when wrapped in paper and covered with fine catgut string, or with very dry sand. All these processes are good; but there is a surer one which is employed on a grand scale for the supply of Paris. It is immersion in boiling water.

Water is made to boil in a kettle; a dozen eggs are put into a kettle, which is plunged into the hot water; and then withdrawn again.

After a few minutes the eggs are taken out, and the shells are split open, and the yolks are removed.

Remarkable Case—Man found Dead in his House Alone, Corrupt and Be- composed.

On Friday afternoon, at Philadelphia, the Coroner of Philadelphia was summoned to hold an inquest on the body of a man whose name is supposed to be Frederick Corcoran, and who resided on Cumberland street, above Emerald.

This man pursued a singular sort of life, doing no work, and keeping body and soul together by stealing and beggary. Three years ago his wife died in the same house under mysterious circumstances, and John was arrested on suspicion of having murdered her. There being no evidence, however, to sustain the suspicion, he was soon discharged. The house is a frame one, and is quite dilapidated, in many places the plaster having fallen off, and the *toot en semble* being the same that any sensation writer would select to have dead of dreadful malady.

In this region, then, the thickness of the sheet cannot have been much less than six thousand feet, and this is in keeping with the same kind of evidence in other parts of the country; for, whenever the mountains are much below six thousand feet, the ice begins to suspect that something was wrong.

They inferred the police of the fact, and they yesterday got into the house through window on the first floor, the shutters of which had been broken. The telegraph operator whether the track was clear was told that the train due had passed. He therefore started his train at fifteen miles an hour, and after running a mile or two at that rate over a road which constantly pierces ditches and banks in sharp curves, came suddenly upon the special train, also moving rapidly. And in one terrible moment the two trains lay in ruins, and of their passengers 61 were killed, and 120 wounded.

A correspondent of the Tribune thus describes the collision:

The shock of collision was fearful. Two noble engines were almost entirely demolished—the "171" and "237."

THE ADAMS SENTINEL AND GENERAL ADVERTISER

PROFESSIONAL OFFICES.

Glasim Agency.

THE undersigned will attend to the Collection of Claims against the U. S. Government, including Military Bounties, Back Pay, Pensions, Forage, &c., either in the Court of Claims, or before any of the Departments at Washington.

R. G. MCNEARY,
Attorney at Law, Gettysburg, Pa.
Oct. 21, 1862.

D. MCGONAUHAY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
OFFICE opposite to one door west of Bunker's Drug & Book store, Chambersburg street.

A. S. COVET,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WILL promptly attend to collections and all other business entrusted to him, at his office in Farnie's Cook's and Bunker and Ziegler's Stores, Chambersburg Street, Gettysburg, Pa.
(Sept. 5.)

J. Lawrence Hill, M. D.

AS his Office one door west of the Episcopal Church on Chambersburg st., opposite Dr. H. Horner's Drug Store, where persons wishing to have any Dental operations performed are respectfully invited to call.

REFERENCES.

Prof. E. K. Knobell, D.D., Prof. M. L. Johnson, M. D., Dr. H. S. Huber, Dr. L. Baugher.

Removal.

B. O'NEAL has removed his office from White's building to the corner of Baltimore and High streets, opposite the Presbytery Church, Residege adjoining the office April 7, 1862.

Dr. Wm. Taylor

informs the inhabitants of Gettysburg and vicinity that he will continue the practice of his profession at the old stand, next door to the Comptroller Office, Gettysburg, Pa. Thankful for his favors, he begs to receive a share of their patronage.

[Sept. 29, 1862.]

Cannon & Adair's

NEW MARBLE WORKS,

Prizer of Baltimore and East Middle Sts.

opposite the Court House,

GETTYSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA.

Every description of work, executed in the finest style of the art.

Feb. 10, 1862.

Gettysburg Marble Yard.

MILLS & BRO.

In East York street, Gettysburg, Pa.

HERE they are prepared to furnish all kinds of work in their line, such as MONUMENTS, TOMBS, HEADSTONES, MAN-

TLES, &c., at the shortest notice, and as cheap as possible. Give us a call.

Gettysburg, May 27.

John W. Tipton,

ASHIONABLE BARBER, North-east cor-

ner of the Diamond, (next door to McElroy's Hotel,) Gettysburg, Pa., where he has been in successful operation for more than 12 years, and in that period has paid all losses and expenses, without any assessment, having also a large surplus in the treasury. The Company employs no Agents—all business is done by the Managers, who are annually elected by the Stockholders. Any person desiring an Insurance can apply to any of the above named Managers for further information.

The Executive Committee meets at the office of the Company on the last Wednesday in every month, at 2, P. M.

Sept. 21.

NEW GOODS.

FARNESTOCK'S BROTHERS are constantly receiving choice and desirable Goods, from New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore, and are prepared to offer great inducements to those about purchasing—Having selected with great care, from the three leading markets, the public will look to their own interests, by examining our stock before buying elsewhere. Call at

FARNESTOCK'S

Bedding.

May 5.

FRESH ARRIVAL.

JUST received a large supply of Spring and Summer Hats, the cheapest and best, considering the times—ever brought to Gettysburg. Call and see them at the cheap Shoe and Hat Store in Chambersburg street, JOHN L. HOLTZWORTH.

May 17.

Coal—Coal—Coal.

SHEADS & BUEHLER are now preparing Stock to supply COAL, of superior quality, in any quantity desired. Terms Cash.

Come One! Come All!

They also request those indebted to them to call and pay up, as funds are much needed. Who will be the first to call? Office open from 7 to 7.

[Feb. 26.]

The Confessions and Experience of an Invalid.

PUBLISHED for the benefit and as a warning and a caution to young men who suffer from Nervous Debility, Pneumonia, Disease, &c., supplying at the same time, the means of Self-Cure, by one who cured himself, after being put to great expense through medical imposition and quackery. Single copies may be had of the author, NATHANIEL MAYFAIR, Esq., Bedford, Kings County, N. Y., by enclosing a postage paid envelope.

May 27.

Our neighbor PORTER has just completed a very neat brick building opposite the Globe Hotel, where he and Mr. COOK have everything in very beautiful order.—The former has every variety of Stoves, of the rarest patterns, and at very cheap rates; whilst friend COOK attends to the Tin-work, Spouting, &c., promptly, and executes work in the best manner. Give them a call in their new habitation.

Come, One and All!

THE subscriber having reopened his Saloon in the N. E. east corner of the Diamond, invite the attention of his friends and the public generally, to his excellent ALE, PORTER, BROWN STOUT, WINE, CHAM-PAGNE, TOBACCO, SEGARS, &c. He hopes, by strict attention to business, and a desire to please, to receive a liberal share of custom.

H. W. CIRSMER.

Gettysburg, Aug. 25.—tr.

DRAKE'S PLANTATION PINTERS of the Homestead Tonic, at Dr. R. HORNER's Drug Store.

AT 7 P. M.

STATIONERY, of all kinds, at Dr. R. HORNER's new Family Drug and Proscriptive Store.

S. M. PETTINGLL & CO.

No. 42 Park Row, New York, and 6 State St.

Boston, are our Agents for the SENTINEL in this city, and are authorized to take Advertisements and Subscriptions for us at our lowest rates.

A. SCOTT & SON.

SENIOR Article of Cancer Peaches at J. M. ROWE'S

We have just received a new assortment of Cutlery, to which we invite the attention of our customers.

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The Markets.

AGENCY OF THE
Dutch East-India Coffee Co.

DEPOT:
168 READE STREET, NEW YORK.

GETTYSBURG—MONDAY LAST.
Superfine Flour.....\$9 00 to 9 50
Red Wheat.....1 85 to 2 00
White Wheat.....2 00 to 2 10
Corn.....1 40
Rye.....1 25 to 1 50
Rye Flour.....6 60
Buckwheat.....1 00
Buckwheat Meal.....3 00
Clover Seed.....6 00 to 6 50
Timothy Seed.....2 90 to 3 50
Flax Seed.....2 50
Barley.....1 00
Oats.....75
Plaster of Paris, per ton.....11 50
Do. per bag.....50
Quince per hundred.....1 25 to 1 50

BALTIMORE—MONDAY LAST.
Flour.....\$12 25 to 12 50
Wheat.....2 90 to 2 91
Rye.....1 73 to 1 83
Corn.....1 73 to 1 75
Oats.....85 to 92
Cleavers.....7 25 to 7 51
Timothyseed.....3 10 to 3 30
Beef Cattle.....2 00 to 4 25
Hsy, in Bundles).....31 00 to 32 00

Valuable Little Property FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers, for sale, on very advantageous terms, his Property, situated near the Banister road, about 1/2 miles from Gettysburg, adjoining John Vane, John Rose and others. There is on the premises, a STONE HOUSE & BARN, a Blacksmith shop, and an excellent Orchard, of all kinds of Fruit; a never-failing well of water at the door. It is one of the best black-studs in the country.

Any person wishing to view the premises, will be shown the same by the subscriber, residing on the premises, who will make known the terms, which will be satisfactory.

JAMES WARFIELD.

July 26.—41*

A VALUABLE

CHESTNUT TIMBER LOT,
offered at Private Sale, is situated in J. McAllister's township, Adams county, Pa., 1 mile from Francis Colb's Mill, and 3 miles from Charles Stewart's Mill, on the road leading to Shippensburg. The Timber can be used for Rails and Shingles, and is of easy access.

Terms made known by the undersigned.

WM. N. HELLAR.

July 26.—5*

Don't Ask for Credit!

BUY AND SELL ONLY FOR CASH!!

Credit System Abolished!

Cash System Adopted!

The undersigned, Merchants of the Borough of Gettysburg, would respectfully inform their customers that from and after this date, we will be compelled TO SELL EXCLUSIVELY FOR CASH. We have adopted this course because the manufacturers and wholesale dealers in the cities have resolved to sell goods only for the Cash, leaving us no alternative but the adoption of the CASH SYSTEM. The introduction of this change in our mode of doing business we believe will be to the interest of both buyer and seller, as indiscriminate credit has always operated injuriously to the prompt paying customer.

Alexander Spangler, Faberstock Brothers,

Shands & Buehler, J. L. Schick,

McCurdy & Dichtl, George Arnold,

W. E. Biddle & Co., Daniel & Ziegler,

J. S. Gillespie, John Boyer & Son,

Wm. Boyer & Son, J. Brinkerhoff,

Geo. F. Kahlbech,

H. M. Paxton, J. M. Rose,

S. S. Forney, R. Horner,

A. Cobean & Co., M. McAlister,

Harriet McCleary,

Joseph Ryan,

Gettysburg, July 26.—5m.

List of Letters,

REMAINKING in Gettysburg T. O. July 26, 1864.

Hayne Hanrahan

Book Samuel

Crocker Ellen

Carlo Michael

Cleveland John

Coon Amanda J.

Clarke Lizzie J.

Clarkson

Day George

Fisher R. D.

Fatzinger A. H. & Co.

Faber Lizzie

Fulton Martin W.

Freeman Elvira

Gilbert Jonathan

Gertrude H. A.

Grove Ellis Nora

Herman Lydia

Holcombe Gabriel

Persons calling for the above letters will

please say they have been advertised.

D. A. BUEHLER, P. M.

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“THE HUMAN FACE DIVINE.”—A new

System of Physiognomy. Eyes, Ears,

Nose, Lips, Mouth, Head, Hair, Eyebrows,

Hands, Feet, Skin, Complexion, with all “Signs

of Character, and How to Read them,” in the

Phrenological Journal, and like Illustrated,

S. WELLS, Editor.

PHENOMENOLOGY, the Natural History of Man,

nations, races, and tribes of men, described

with Illustrations.

PHYSIOLOGY, functions of the Body, Heart,

Lungs, Stomach, Bones, Muscles, and Nervous

System.

PHRENOMENOLOGY, the Temperaments, Man's

Intellectual, Social, and Moral Nature, how to

improve.

PHYSIOGNOMY, with the “Signs of Charac-

ter, and How to Read them,” on scientific

principles.

PSYCHOLOGY, or the “Science of the Soul,”

Man's relations to this life and to the life to

come.

A new volume, the 4th, commences with the

July number. Now ready. Published monthly,

in quarto form, at \$2 a year. Samples, by

first post, 20 cents. Address FOWLER &

WELLS, 339 Broadway, New York. Agents Wanted.

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Complete System of Hydropathy and Hygiene

Anatomy and Physiology of the Human Body,

Illustrated; Preservatory of Health; Dietetics;

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with Home Treatment; Special Pathology and

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toes, and Treatment of all known Diseases;

Application to Surgery, Midwifery, and the

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Broadway, New York. Agents Wanted.

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and WELLS, none are more adapted to general

utility than this rich, comprehensive, and well-

arranged Encyclopedia.”—N. Y. Tribune.

July 26.

Notice.

THE account of Isaac Kunz, Assignee of

Samuel Sodier, has been filed in the

Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, and

will be confirmed by said Court, on the 13th

day of AUGUST next, unless cause be shown

to the contrary.

JACOB BUSHEY, Proft'y.

July 19, '61.—to

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Notice.

MANY Farms are for Sale or Rent in Lith-

city district, Maryland, this Fall and

next Spring.

For Enquiry of the Editor of this paper.

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day of AUGUST next, unless cause be shown

to the contrary.

JACOB BUSHEY, Proft'y.

July 19, '61.—to

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Notice.

THE account of Isaac Kunz, Assignee of

Samuel Sodier, has been filed in the

Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, and

THE ADAMS SENTINEL AND GENERAL ADVERTISER.



Another Ishmael Day in Frederick County—Thrilling Incident.

Mr. Startzman, formerly a resident of Hagerstown, who witnessed the closing scenes of the occurrence, relates the following to the Hagerstown Herald:

Mr. George Blessing, a farmer residing near Myersville, Frederick county, Maryland, when it was learned that the Rebels were prowling through the neighborhood stealing horses and committing depredations generally, was importuned by his family to remove his stock beyond the reach of the marauders, which he refused doing, owing to the extreme. He had ten guns in his house which he proceeded to load and put in readiness in the event of a necessity arising for using them.

At noon, the 2d of July, he gathered his family about him and read aloud the 31st Psalm—"I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress; my God! in Him will I trust"—when he engaged in devotional worship, imploring the Most High to shield and protect his household from the assaults and rapacity of the enemy who were laying waste his native soil and seeking to overthrow the best Government ever devised by the wisdom of man, pleading God to uphold and sustain the old flag of his fathers.

Taking two guns he repaired, with his son, a lad yet in his teens, to his barn, from which he despatched a squad of Rebels approaching on horseback. Having his son a gun he ordered him to take a certain position, and should the squad dismount and attempt to break open the doors of the stable, which were fastened by locks, he should fire upon them. The Rebels advanced to within a short distance of the stable, when one of the number threw himself from his horse and commenced the work of demolishing the stable door.

At that moment the old man and his son fired simultaneously upon the offender, both balls taking effect in his right arm. The balance of the party scampered away, leaving their wounded comrade behind, and swearing vengeance upon the resistants. Before they had escaped beyond the reach of Mr. B.'s gun he fired a second shot at the fleeing foe, but with what result he could not tell. The Rebel at whom he had fired fell forward on his horse evidently wounded, but he managed to get away.

Mr. Blessing's neighbors, learning what he had done, waited upon him and by every argument they could advance endeavoring to dissuade him from his purpose to "stand his ground." They tried to prevail upon him to leave the vicinity and seek refuge from the infuriated Rebels who would return with reinforcements and not only destroy his property but would murder him and his son. The brave old patriot was immovable in his purpose to defend his property, whether in the event his life should be forfeited. He expressed infinite confidence in his shield and buckler, assured that needed strength would be given him in the unequal contest which might ensue.

The guns were reloaded, and father and son resumed their former positions and awaited the return of the foe. They were not long kept in suspense. Twenty mounted Rebels, accompanied by four citizens of Myersville, with whom Mr. B. was acquainted, were advancing on his premises. When within a short distance of Mr. B.'s barn the citizens were ordered in front of the Rebel squad, as a protection to them from the bullets which the cowardly land pirates knew were ready to greet them. Undismayed, Mr. B. warned his acquaintances against moving a step forward assuring them that should they do so they would meet with swift and certain death.

Inimidated and bewildered, there the Rebels stood hesitating what to do. Every shot discharged in the direction where they supposed the "Yankee soldiers" were scattered, was promptly and vigorously answered. "What should they do?" reasoned these basile, thieving sons of Mars. Evidently, they were fighting superior numbers, and would not hazard the chances of success with their present force but would go back for artillery. As they were wheeling their horses to retreat their course, Mr. B. shot the leader of the band through the head, killing him instantly.

A second time Mr. Blessing's neighbors waited upon him and urged him in the most earnest language they could employ to desist from the hazardous course he was pursuing. Their entreaties were unavailing. He was determined to fight to the bitter end, severe as the consequences might prove to him. Would God permit him to kill one more traitor he was willing to die.

Momentarily expecting the marauders to return with artillery, Mr. B. shouldered two guns and posted himself in a clump of trees on a lane leading from the public road to his residence. He had been there but a short time when he observed heavy clouds of dust rising from the road, some distance off. A large body of horsemen were moving toward him. In the advance he noticed what he conceived to be a Rebel scout.

In an instant the old man raised his gun and was in the act of firing when the object of his aim fell back into the main column of soldiers riding rapidly up the lane. He now recognized the Blue Coats, who, having heard of the heroic conduct of the dauntless old patriot and his worthy son, were hastening to their rescue. The scene which followed can better be imagined than described.

Mr. Blessing is upward of seventy years of age, enjoys good health and is full of the spirit of '76. He is an elder in the Myersville Lutheran Church, over which Mr. Startzman presides.

The flour speculators in the large cities are in a fair way of coming to grief, and that right speedily. An exchange says that the receipts of flour at Boston during last week were 35,000 barrels the stock in hand at the same time being 250,000 barrels. There is very little foreign demand, and consequently this heavy amount is dependent upon, as it is intended for, home consumption. It was purchased as a speculation, in the same way as other articles, and this same article has been bought by speculators elsewhere, who think they see profit in the transaction. If other cities have largely entered into the speculation as Boston, it cannot be wondered that prices now rule high.

Every man who drinks a glass of Richmond whisky has to pay two dollars and a headache.

THE ADAMS SENTINEL,
GETTYSBURG:
Tuesday Evening, July 26, 1864.

FOR PRESIDENT:
ABRAHAM LINCOLN,

OR ILLINOIS.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT:
ANDREW JOHNSON,

OF TENNESSEE.

ELECTORAL TICKET.

SENATORIAL.

MORTON MUNICHEL, Philadelphia.
T. H. CUNNINGHAM, Beaver county.

REPRESENTATIVE.

1st District—	Robert P. King.
2d "	George Morrison Coates.
3d "	Henry Bonham.
4th "	William H. Kern.
5th "	Barton H. Jenks.
6th "	Charles M. Bank.
7th "	Robert Park.
8th "	Aaron Mull.
9th "	John A. Bliesland.
10th "	Richard H. Corry.
11th "	Edward Holliday.
12th "	Charles F. Reed.
13th "	Eliza W. Hale.
14th "	Charles H. Shriver.
15th "	John Wister.
16th "	David McConaughy.
17th "	David W. Woods.
18th "	Isaac Benton.
19th "	John Peniston.
20th "	Samuel H. Dick.
21st "	Everard Bierer.
22d "	John P. Penney.
23d "	Ebenezer M. Jenkins.
24th "	John W. Blanchard.

Friends of the Soldiers!
REMEMBER THAT THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL ELECTION.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 1864.
Upon Amending the State Constitution to give Pennsylvania Soldiers in the Service

THE RIGHT TO VOTE.
Don't forget the day, and don't fail to vote
"FOR THE AMENDMENT."

Our Terms.

From the 1st day of August, 1864, our terms of subscription will be TWO DOLLARS if paid in advance, and Two Dollars AND FIFTY CENTS if not so paid. These terms have been agreed upon by all the publishers in this place, and will be strictly adhered to. This is but a slight advance upon old rates, and by no means in proportion to the great advance in labor, and all other kinds of printing material.

After a long spell of hot, dry weather, we have been visited by most refreshing rains, which will revive the corn, grass, and other vegetables, which had nearly perished during the excessive heat.

Frightful Accident.

A few days ago, as Mr. John McMaster, of Hamilton township, was cutting grain with a reaper, and while in the act of reaping some of the machinery which had broken, his horses became unmanageable, and Mr. Mc.'s legs were caught in the knives of the reaper, cutting one almost off, and injuring the other badly.

500,000 More Men Wanted.

The President has issued his Proclamation, calling for 500,000 volunteers for the military service, allowing fifty days in which to recruit them, after which, on the 5th of September a draft will take place to fill the deficiency. All credits will be allowed to the various districts for all soldiers which have been furnished in excess of calls heretofore made. The draft will be for one year.

Board of Enrollment.

The Examinations for the supplementary Draft in Adams county under the call for 700,000 men were held in the Court House on Wednesday. The men reported with a commendable degree of promptness. About 80 men were drafted to fill the deficiency, all of whom were examined on Wednesday—excepting a few who failed to come up to time, and several others who had "shuffled off this mortal coil" and left for a region where their draft notice failed to reach them. We are unable to give the result of the Examinations, but understand that a very large proportion availed themselves of the commutation privilege, which still held good in their cases.—Star.

Our border counties have been unassailed by threatened invasion, but they must not forget the cause of the brave soldiers, who made the invading hosts retreat from our capital and return to their own den of base treason. Shall they be allowed to make the choice of our next President? If so, let us, in patriotic impulse, and every sentiment of justice, demand that loyal men be called to the polls next Tuesday evening, to give the suffrage in favor of conserving the right to self-government.

Wright's gallant Sixth repulsed the rebels before Washington, saved the capital and made them retreat into wasted dominions of treason. Yet copperheads would deny our heroic defenders the right to vote for civil rulers. Shall they not vote? Answer on Tuesday next at the polls!

Friends of the brave soldiers of the Republic! See that every district is thoroughly prepared for the special election on Tuesday next. Pennsylvania must cheer her gallant patriots in the field by declaring, by a decisive majority, that they shall vote in the selection of our rulers. Their cause is the country's cause and they must not be disfranchised.

Shall our Soldiers Vote?

On Tuesday next, the 2d of August, the people of Pennsylvania will be called upon to approve or reject several important amendments proposed to the Constitution of the State. The election will be held during the same hours, and governed by the same laws in all respects, as our general elections. Three distinct propositions or amendments are to be submitted to the popular vote, and separate ballots headed "First Amendment," "Second Amendment" and "Third Amendment," with "For the Amendment" or "Against the Amendment" below, must be cast. The second and third amendments relate to legislative restrictions which are essentially just and expedient, and they will be adopted without serious opposition. The several amendments in full will be found in our advertising columns.

The only contest will be on the first proposition—that conferring the right of suffrage upon our gallant soldier in the field, and it becomes the friends of our heroes to be fully prepared for the issue. That the Democratic leaders will exhaust themselves by every means short of open, manly opposition, to defeat this amendment, we cannot doubt. Judge Woodward delivered the decision of the Supreme Court of this State in 1862 disfranchising them, after their vote had been counted during the Mexican war, and in the election of 1861 without question; and the Democrats of the legislature last winter were prevented from defeating the proposition only because they were in a minority. Had they controlled either branch of the legislature, our soldiers would have denied the right to vote solely because they are periling their lives to preserve our Nationality. True, the Democrats of the House did not vote directly against the amendment conferring the right of suffrage upon soldiers; but they voted against the second and third propositions in a body, with the single exception of Mr. MARSHALL, of Adams, knowing well that to defeat one would defeat all. The Constitution of the State requires in express terms that amendments must pass two consecutive legislatures without alteration, before they can be submitted to the people; and had they been modified by the failure to adopt all the propositions passed by the previous legislature, all the amendments—including the one giving the right of suffrage to soldiers—would have been postponed for another year, and the army vote would not have participated in the coming Presidential election. Thanks to a Union legislature, this unusual effort to disfranchise our soldiers failed, and a full vote now is only necessary to enable the gallant defenders of the Union to vote for the cause for which they have periled every thing.

We have closely observed the actions of the Democratic Press and politicians throughout the State on this vital question; and the first word has yet to be given to the public from that party in favor of allowing our soldiers to vote. While the Union State Committee has earnestly advocated the measure in an elaborated and pointed address to the people of the State, and the entire Union Press heartily commends it to voters, not a single Democratic journal has yet spoken of it, save to ridicule or denounce it, and the Democratic State Committee has thus far failed to call attention to the special election. In short the Democratic politicians are opposed to conferring the right of suffrage upon our volunteers, believing as they do that soldiers who fight for a common Nationality will not vote with its foes. They have not dared to array themselves openly against it, for they fear the honest of their own party cannot be driven to disfranchise the army; but their hope is that the election may be neglected, and that with a quiet organization they may succeed by default of its friends. If any man doubts the hostility of the Democracy to the soldiers voting, let him wait until the vote is polled and compare the returns from Allegheny or Lancaster with the returns from such intense copperhead counties as Berks and Northampton.

We appeal to Union men to be on their guard. They owe it to the brave men who are defending our homes and our sacred cause, to give one day to secure them their civil rights, and declare to our patriotic men who are in the service, and who may hereafter enter it, that they shall not sacrifice their rights as citizens by protecting our government from murderous traitors. Let patriotic men of every party make a common effort in behalf of our battle-scarred heroes, and declare in favor of their right to vote by such an overwhelming majority as will make the loss of our Nation's cause and of its defenders hide their treachery in sullen silence.—Franklin Rep.

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The happy effects arising from the use of DIXON'S BLACKBERRY CARMARATIVE is better testimony than all the "go up" certificates calculated to deceive the public.

Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of Company B, 21st Pa. Cavalry, held at their camp near Petersburg, Va., on the 6th inst., the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased an all-wise Providence to remove from among us a comrade in arms, and whereas, we weekly bow to this dispensation of Providence; therefore—

Resolved, That in the death of Lieut. HENRY G. LOTT, we have lost an associate endeared to us by remembrances of the past; a comrade in arms whose character and integrity were clear of every blemish; an ornament to society, kind and affectionate, and one whose loss will be deeply felt.

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Resolved, That the above proceedings be published in the Gettysburg papers, and a copy forwarded to the family of the deceased.

W. W. CROOKS, Sec'y.

JAS. B. FRY, Provost Marshal Gen'l.

EDWARD PRESTON, Provost Marshal Gen'l.